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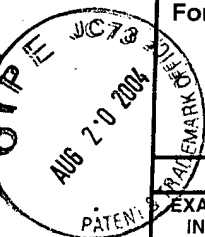
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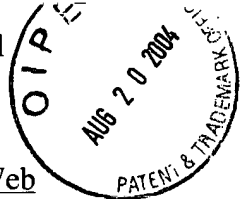
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Cotton \Cot"ton\ (k[o^]t"t'n), *n.* [F. *coton*, Sp. *algodon* the cotton plant and its wool, *coton* printed cotton, cloth, fr. Ar. *qutun*, *alqutun*, cotton wool. Cf. [Acton](#), [Hacqueton](#).] 1. A soft, downy substance, resembling fine wool, consisting of the unicellular twisted hairs which grow on the seeds of the cotton plant. Long-staple cotton has a fiber sometimes almost two inches long; short-staple, from two thirds of an inch to an inch and a half.

2. The cotton plant. See [Cotten plant](#), below.

3. Cloth made of cotton.

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